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2009-2010 USU Youth Conservatory

**Calendar**

**FALL SEMESTER 2009**

August 11 & 25	T	6:00-8:00 pm, Public Registration for 2009-10 <i>Kent Concert Hall (KCH) Foyer</i>
August 31- Sept. 4	M-F	First week of Youth Conservatory classes and lessons
September 7	M	No lessons – Labor Day (make-up lesson given on November 23)
September 11	F	Fall semester tuition due in full
October 16	F	No lessons – Fall Break (arrange make-up lesson with instructor if necessary)
October 30	F	5:00-8:00 pm, Halloween Recitals & Carnival, <i>Fine Arts Center (FAC)</i>
November 24-27	T-F	No YC - Thanksgiving Break – Monday lessons WILL be held
November 23	M	3:00-5:00 pm Christmas Concert Auditions, <i>Room 102</i>
December 1	T	7:00 pm Christmas Concert, <i>Performance Hall</i>
November 30-Dec. 1	M-F	Last week of YC classes & lessons fall semester

**SPRING SEMESTER 2010**

January 11-15	M-F	First week of Youth Conservatory classes
January 15	F	Spring semester tuition due in full
January 15	F	Makeup day for Monday Classes (due to Human Rights Day)
January 18	M	No YC – Human Rights Day
February 2-5	T-F	No YC classes & lessons (Monster Concert week – Monday classes <b>WILL</b> meet February 1 in anticipation of President's Day Holiday)
February 2, 3	T,W	Times TBD, Monster Concert First Rehearsals, <i>Rooms 216 &amp; 218</i>
February 5	F	Times TBD, Monster Concert Second Rehearsal, <i>KCH</i>
February 6	Sat	8:00 – 10:00 am, Monster Concert Final Rehearsal, <i>KCH</i>
February 6	Sat	6:00 pm, Monster Concert, <i>KCH</i>
February 15	M	No YC – President's Day
March 15-19	M-F	No YC – USU Spring Break
April 17	Sat	8:00 am-3:00 pm 38 <sup>th</sup> Annual USU Piano Festival, <i>FAC</i> 3:00 pm, Award's Ceremony, <i>KCH</i>
April 19-23	M-F	Last week of YC classes & lessons spring semester
April 27	T	7:00 pm, Youth Conservatory Graduation, <i>KCH</i>

**Youth Conservatory Student Recitals\***  
**Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm in Room 214.**

**YC Office Phone: (435) 797-3018**

*\*Held weekly when 6 or more students are available to perform.  
Teachers must submit recital forms by Friday 5:00 pm the week prior.*

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**Study Options and Tuition Policies**

(Costs are per semester; 13 weeks of instruction are provided each semester)

**Option A: Private Lessons & Musicianship Class**

Bronze Level:	\$155.00 per semester + classroom materials fee*
Silver Level:	\$197.00 per semester + classroom materials fee*
Gold Level:	\$234.00 per semester + classroom materials fee*
Faculty:	\$89.00 per semester + classroom materials fee* (private lesson fees paid directly to the faculty teacher – rates vary by teacher)

**Option B: Musicianship Class Only**

All Classes <u>except</u> Young Musicians:	\$89.00 per semester + classroom materials fee*
Young Musicians:	\$101.00 per semester (no materials fee)

**Option C: Private Lessons Only**

Bronze Level:	\$101.00 per semester
Silver Level:	\$126.00 per semester
Gold Level:	\$155.00 per semester
Faculty:	\$20.00 per semester for facility use if lessons are taught on campus and student is not enrolled in a musicianship class (this fee is waived for students in class) (private lesson fees paid directly to the faculty teacher – rates vary by teacher)

**\*Classroom materials fees:** The materials fee covers the cost of student workbooks used in the Musicianship classes. Each workbook contains activities and assignments for a full school-year (two semesters), and cannot be reused. **The materials fee must be paid at the time of registration.** 100% of the materials fee will be refunded if the student cancels their enrollment and have not opened or marked the workbook packaging in any way. If the workbook packaging has been opened or marked, none of the materials fees can be refunded.

Brillante, Animato, Spirito & Con Moto:	\$18.00
Energico:	\$21.00
Con Brio, Con Fuoco, Stretto, Preciso, Accelerando II:	\$22.50
<i>Young Musicians &amp; Literature and Analysis do not have a materials fee</i>	

**Tuition Policies:**

Tuition covers thirteen weeks of instruction during the specified period, exclusive of holidays.

Fall Semester Tuition is due in full by Friday, September 11, 2009. Spring Semester Tuition is due in full by Friday, January 15, 2010. For families enrolling more than 1 child, payment options are available upon request through signed contract. Please contact the YC office for more information. A late payment fee of \$20 per enrolled student will be assessed on accounts that are two weeks or more in arrears. Accounts may be referred to outside collection agencies, including small claims courts, if they are delinquent over 50 days. Further, the parent or legal guardian is responsible for any legal charges incurred by the YC when pursuing delinquent payments.

Families enrolling 2 or more children in the Youth Conservatory are eligible for a family discount of 2.5% off their total tuition. Families enrolling 3 or more children will receive 5% off their total tuition.

Tuition refunds will be issued in accordance with the following policy:

Before classes begin:	100%
After 1st week:	75%
After 2nd week:	50%
After 3rd week:	0%

The Youth Conservatory reserves the right to terminate a child's enrollment at any time for reasons consistent with the best interest of the YC. In such a case, a pro rata portion of the tuition is refunded.

For the safety of children enrolled in the program, all students under the age of 16 must be accompanied by an adult while participating in any Youth Conservatory activity on the Utah State University campus. Additionally, parental involvement in the student's lessons and at-home practicing is critical to the success of the training.

Class scheduling is subject to change. The Youth Conservatory reserves the right to cancel any class due to insufficient enrollment.

Private lessons missed by the student will not be rescheduled. Lessons canceled due to snow days or instructor absence, will be rescheduled.